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Invention: INTRADERMAL DELIVERY DEVICE INCLUDING A NEEDLE ASSEMBLY

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**RESPONSE TO MAY 18, 2004 OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to an Office Action mailed on May 18, 2004 (the "Office Action") please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

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